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Summary of traces on Emil AUGSBURG

REFERENCE:

MOLA-6074, MOKK-9380

1. There are no traces here on Paul BOHRHOHL, and he is not listed in the 1950 Berlin telephone directory.

2. We have the following traces on Dr. Emil AUGSBURG.

MOLA-1599 dated 19 September 1949

Dr. Emil AUGSBURG was included in a list of members of the ANTEROOM chain.

MOKA-6638 dated 1 December 1948

Dr. Emil AUGSBURG & ALTHAUS - born 1 May 1904; resided at Feilbergstrasse 12, Kempten; dropped by US intelligence agency in Austria or Germany without prejudice.

PIE-32 dated 1 October 1946

In April 1945, Monsignor Anton KWIATOWSKI, Dr. Emil AUGSBURG and Annemarie BUSCHMANN, all of Amt VI, RSHA, cached eight trunks of anti-Comintern files at Ettal, Bavaria. In August 1945, KWIATOWSKI and his associates were taken from Ettal by Polish officers in a car. The exact fate of the documents, which AUGSBURG stated were to be placed at the disposal of the Vatican, is unknown. The possibility that they are at Ettal is being checked, but it is thought that they fall into Polish hands. KWIATOWSKI and AUGSBURG were reported to be at Ancona in February 1946, at which time KERSCHKE and a Polish priest, presumably stationed at Ancona, visited Ettal.

Carded information

Dr. Emil AUGSBURG was added to the list of war criminals wanted by the Polish government. He was accused of stealing Polish art treasures in 1944.

IX-10876 dated 12 February 1946

Dr. Emil AUGSBURG - specialist on Soviet state ideology and law; born in Lodz and attended school there; studied Germanics at Breslau and Leipzig Universities; took his degree in 1934; has been with the SD since 1934, first with Amt VII and then with Amt VI; born about 1905; 1.75m tall; large head; thick gray hair; very fair eyebrows and lashes; pale face; thick pale lips; wears glasses.

Dr. Emil AUGSBURG was deputy director of the Hannover Institute (Eastern & European Institute of Economy) of Berlin and later Plankenwirth, Austria. In 1943, the Institute was placed under the command of Gruppe VI G for ideological research and was to provide scientific support for the intelligence services. The scientists of Sonderlager I cooperated closely with the Hannover Institute.

Hauptsturmfuehrer AUGSBURG - head of Sonderlager 7, then joined Amt VI W1 T; brother of Dr. Emil AUGSBURG; born in Lodz; qualified engineer; worked for Siemens on their foreign orders; speaks Russian and Polish; joined the SD in 1934; served with Amt III until 1943 and with Amt VI since then; born about 1905; 1.75m tall; graying hair; rather thick set.

XII-175 dated 8 February 1946

SS Untersturmfuehrer AUGSBURG who later became Obersturmfuehrer was the head of Sonderlager L, a Special Interrogation Camp for scientists of all types attached to Waldlager Breslau-Oswitz in 1943. AUGSBURG was an engineer and a specialist in power installations. He reportedly occupied a leading position with the AVG before joining Amt VI.

3. The following information was extracted from the German Army dossier of Oberleutnant Rudolf WEISS.

Born 27 September 1910 in Potsdam; attended school in Potsdam until 1931; married Vera von der GOLTT in May 1937; daughter born in 1939; sons born in 1940 and 1944.

April 1931 - entered the German Army as a private

March 1934 - promoted to Lieutenant; assigned to I/Grattfahr Kommando; Posen.

October 1936 - promoted to Oberleutnant; assigned to 5 Pz. Div. IIa Nr. 2085/36g.

January 1939 - Adjutant des Chofs des Heerespersonalamts, OER.

March 1940 - promoted to Hauptmann.

June 1940 - assigned to the 6th Panzer Regiment of the 8th Panzer Brigade.

September 1940 - assigned to the Oberkommando des Heeres, Heerespersonal

December 1940 - attended the Generalstabsoberlehrgang.

March 1941 - Adjutant, 1st Panzer Division.
April 1942 - Führer Reserve, GPH.
May 1942 - promoted to Major; Adjutant des Generals für
Motorisierung in MIA.
October 1943 - Adjutant des Chefs des Heerespersonals.
April 1944 - promoted to Oberstleutnant.